

April 21, 1999

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RE: Response for Phase II Reclamation Bond Release for the UtahAmerican Energy, Inc.

(UEI), Horse Canyon Mine, Carbon County, Utah, ACT/007/013

Dear Ms. Grubaugh-Littig:

EarthFax Engineering, Inc. ("EarthFax") has been requested by UEI to provide a response to the Phase II Bond Release Comments of the Horse Canyon Mine Permit. Therefore, please find enclosed a set of D-size drawings showing the As-built topography and proposed reclamation topography for the Horse Canyon Mine facilities. These maps are submitted in response to your January 19, 1999 letter. The existing facilities have been field verified and the proposed areas that are currently planned for future reclamation activities are shown as shaded areas on the plates. All areas within the disturbed area boundaries, but outside of the shaded areas are at final grade for reclamation.

After your staffs review of these plates, UEI would be pleased to schedule a field visit to continue the process. Please give Mr. Jay Marshall or myself a call to schedule a site visit. If you have any questions, please give me a call.

Sincerely

Thomas J. Suchoski Hydrologist

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CC: W. Engels, IPA

J. Marshall, UtahAmerican Energy

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